



# STATE OF MONTANA

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### Advisory

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**To:** Distribution

**Subject:** Non-Essential Use of Network Leading up to Election

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SummitNet, the statewide telecommunication network, is a resource shared with many local governments.

Our partners in the counties will be heavily involved in election processing from Monday, October 25 through Wednesday, November 3, including the weekend.

**I ask that all agencies be aware of the network bandwidth usage they have scheduled during this sensitive time frame.**

There is no problem with regular workload activities; however, bandwidth usage for non-essential functions should be scheduled for another time. Examples of non-essential functions might include using the network to push out large patch files to your remote offices, holding a large interactive video session or viewing streaming video presentations.

Please address any questions, comments or concerns to:

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